



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re application of:

Customer No. 004372

SUGIMURA et al.

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IMAGE REPRODUCING APPARATUS
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REPRODUCING APPARATUS

Docket No.: 107314-00001

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

July 8, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for one-month for response to the outstanding Office Action dated February 10, 2005 from May 10, 2005 to July 10, 2005.

Attached is our check in the amount of \$450.00.

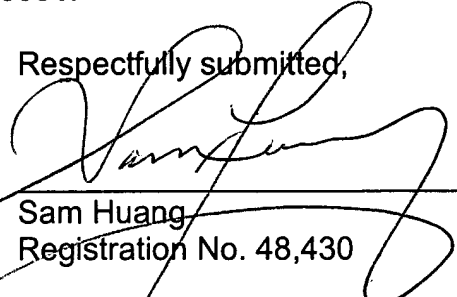
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing docket number 107314-00001.

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